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LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 10th November, 1882.

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GENERAL NOTICE.

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CAPITAL TAELS 600,000; EQUAL. \$833,333.33. RESERVE_FUND.......\$70,858.27.

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Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

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RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongloong, 13th May, 1882

Intimations.

• NOTICE.

THE GOLDEN SCISSOR No. 13. POTTINGER STREET.

A. N. ROBETON (LATE OF T. M. LAWSON'S, CALCUTTAL)

AILOR, Shirt and Breeches Maker and General Outlitter. Mr. ROBIN invites Public Patronage and guarantees a perfect fit at Moderate Charges.

N.B. Note the address: THE GOLDEN SCISSOR. No. 13. Pottinger Street. Hongkong, 8th December, 1882.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on . WEDNESDAY,

the 27th day of December, 1882, at THREE P.M., non the Premises,

By ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE. ALL that PIECE of PARCEL of GROUND being a PORTION of MARINE LOT No. 87, measuring North 351 feet, South 351 feet, East 39 feet, and West 39 feet, which said Piece or Parcel of Ground is Registered in

Together with the TWO HOUSES on Queen's Road West, Nos. 15 and 17. Held for the residue of a term of 999 years. Yearly Crown Rent \$41.

the Land Office as Section B of Marine Lot

For Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, SHARP, TOLLER, & JOHNSON,

Solicitors for the Mortgagee. I. M. GUEDES.

Auctioneer. Hongkong, 11th December, 1882. PUBLIC AUCTION.

PROPERTY AT YOWMATEE.

THE Undersigned will Sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY,

ALL those PIECES or PARCELS of GROUND at Yowmatee Registered in the Land Office as Sections E D and the Remaining Portion of Kowloon INLAND LOT No. 107, measuring North and South sides , 50 feet, East 48 feet, West 46 feet. Together with the HOUSE No. 32, Temple Street.

the 28th December, 1882, at 3 o'CLOCK P.M.,

on the Premises.—

ALL that VACANT PIECE of GROUND measuring 100 by 100 feet and Registered as KOWLOON INLAND LOT No. 58.

For Further Particulars and Conditions o Sale, apply to J. M. GUEDES,

Hongkong, 21st December, 1882. PUBLIC AUCTION.

PROPERTY IN HOLLYWOOD ROAD. THE Undersigned will Sell by Public Auc-

tion, on FRIDAY. the 29th December, 1882, at 3 P.M.,

on the Premises. ALL those PIECES or PARCELS of GROUND Registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOTS 62, 194, and 198: Together with the Nine Newly Built HOUSES in Hollywood

Road, Nos. 41 to 57, (will be Sold in Nine Separate Lots). For Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

Hongkong, 21st December, 1882.

To be Let.

TARSEE VILLA (5 ROOMS), Robinson Road, also A TWO STOREY HOUSE (6 ROOMS in Mosque Junction. 1. Both the above HOUSES have Gas and Water laid on; and immediate possession can be had. For Particulars apply to

Hongkong Hotel. Hongkong, 27th November, 1882.

OLD BAILEY STREET. -No-6-OUEEN'S-ROAD-CENTRAL lately occupied by PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

No. 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. o. SEYMOUR TERRACE.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 1st Novemember, 1882.

TO LET.

UNFURNISHED ROOM HOUSE, No. 9, PEDDAR'S HILL.

Office of this Paper.

Hongkong, 14th December, 1882. STORAGE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to take Goods on STORAGE at their GODUWNS. Entrance from Praya and Queen's Road Central TERMS MODERATE. Apply to ROSE & Co.,

3r and 33, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 30th June, 1882.

For Sale.

FOR SALE

MUMM & CO.'S CHAMPAGNE. QUARTS..... \$22 per Case.

PINTS..... \$23 per Case. MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, and March, 1882.

TOR SALE AT LESS THAN COST. OWING TO OWNER LEAVING THE COLONY.

i Silk-lined RACING SADDLE RACING WHIPS with Silver Mounts. The above, which are ALL NEW, may be seen at the "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" OFFICE and will be Sold a BARGAIN. [797] Hongkong, and November, 1882.

Intimations.

STEELS. OSE

PANEL PICTURES OF SCOTCH SCENERY IN OILS.

LARGE OIL COLOURS IN MASSIVE FRAMES.

FINELY FINISHED AND RETOUCHED OLEOGRAPHS. ORIGINAL ENGRAVINGS.

> VERY MODERATE.

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Hongkong, 22nd December, 1882.

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ARE NOW SHEWING EX "RECENT, ARRIVALS." ALL WOOL SCOTCH PLAIDS, AT 45 CENTS PER YARD.

LADIES FUR-LINED CLOAKS FROM \$12 TO \$80 EACH. CLOTH AND MATALASSE DOLMANS, MANTLES, AND JACKETS IN NEWEST SHAPES.

NOVELTIES DIRECT FROM PARIS IN MOIRE, BROCHE, OTTOMAN, AND SURAT DRESS SILKS. LADIES SILK AND SPUN SILK HOSE IN EVERY COLOUR KID GLOVES . -2, 4, 6, 8, 10 BUTTONS.

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Hongkong, 16th November, 1882.

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> ENGLISH, FRENCH, AND AMERICAN GOODS, very suitable for CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.

Just Opened NEW NOVELS IN ENGLISH AND FRENCH. BOOKS OF REFERENCE IN ENGLISH AND FRENCH. RELIGIOUS WORKS IN ELEGANTLY BOUND COVERS

-Pickwick-Papers AND A VARIETY OF CHEAP NOVELS ALL QUITE NEW AND OFFERED AT MODERATE PRICES. S. MEYERS.

Hongkong, 6th December, 1882.

Intimations.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF N.BANKRUPTCY.

of Victoria, Hongkong, Printer, having been Adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for Adjudication Filed in the Supreme Court of Hongkong in Bankruptcy on the 6th day of December, 1882, is hereby required to surrender himself to EDWARD JAMES ACKROYD, Esquire, the Registrar of the said Court, at the FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS to be held by the said Registrar on the and James 1882 at an said Registrar on the 3rd January, 1883, at 11

BERS, SUPREME COURT. The said EDWARD JAMES ACKROYD, Esquire, is the Official Assignce, and Messrs. STEPHENS and HOLMES are the Solicitors in the Bankruptcy.

A Public sitting will hereafter be appointed by the said Court for the said Bankrupt to pass his final Examination, and to make application for his Discharge, of which sitting due notice will be given in the "HONGKONG GOVERNMENT

o'Clock in the Forenoon, precisely, at his CHAM-

GAZETTE." At the First Meeting of Greditors the Registrar will receive the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors who shall have proved their Debts respectively, or the majority in value of the said Creditors, are hereby directed to choose at such meeting an Assignee, Assignees, of the Bankrupt's Estate, to be called the Creditors' Assignee or Assignees. Dated this 19th day of December, 1882.

TSTEPHENS & HOLMES, 832] A. Solicitors in the Matter.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.: SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

SUIT NO. 1340 OF 1882. KWOK PAK AND OTHERS v. NG TANG AND ANOTHER.

A LL Persons having any Claims or Demands A on the KWONG SUI LI Grocery. Shop are requested to transmit the particulars thereof to me in order that the same may be examined and discharged; and all Persons who are Indebted to the said KWONG-SUI LI are required to pay the amount of their Respective Debts to me forthwith, otherwise legal proceedings will be instituted for the recovery thereof without further

Dated this 9th day of December, 1882. CHUNG SHING HONG.

Receiver.

THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED. ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED, will be held at the Society's Head Office, Hongkong, on THURS-DAY, the 4th day of January, 1883, at Four O'CLOCK, in the AFTERNOON, when the Subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Society held on Wednesday, the 20th day of December, 1882 will be submitted for Confirmation as a Special

RESOLUTION. That each of the Existing \$5,000 Shares of the Society be divided into Four Shares of \$1,250, upon each of which the sum of \$125 shall be credited as paid up.

By Order of the Board, DOUGLAS JONES, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong. Dated the 21st day of December, 1882. [836 NOTICE.

have THIS DAY PURCHASED under Bill of Sale, the GOODWILL PLANT, MACHINERY, STOCK-IN-TRADE AND FIX TURES OF THE FIRM OF DE SOUZA & Co. PRINTERS, &c., or Hongkong ; and beg to intimate that I will carry on the Business under the same Name.

By strict attention, First-class Workmanship and Moderate Charges I hope to merit the Patronage of the Hongkong public. F. D. GUEDES.

Hongkong, 13th December, 1882. THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the asth to the 31st instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, D. McLAURIN.

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 18th December, 1882. HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS

COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the gard instant until the 8th proximo, both days included (Signed) W. SIDNEY BAMSEY, Acting Manager

Hongkong, 18th December, 1882.

A: for 20 LUZON SHARES, being one of

two Transfers of the same number of Shares signed by the Hon, F. B. JOHNSON, The finder will oblige by returning it to the Undersigned and the holder of the other 20 Shares by might be made with a few days notice. Good sending them to the Company's Office for Transfer to enable the numbers of the missing Shares to be traced.

TRANSFER DEED for 5 LUZON SUGAR SHARES in the name of Mr. C. P. CHATER. D. NOWROJEE, Hongkong Hotel Hongkong, 7th November, 1882. [737

AND R. TENNENT'S ALE AND PORTER.

DAVID CORSAR & SONS MERCHANT NAVY

NAVY BOILED CANVAS LONG FLAX Honekone, 14th June, 1881

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

UNION LINE

FOR-YOKOHAMA. THE Steamship

"STRATHLEVEN,"

Captain Pearson, due on or about the 28th inst, will have immediate despatch for the above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, 21st Jewinher, 1882.

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship

"C. F. SARGENT." Atherton, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch,

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 19th December, 1882. FOR NEW YORK

THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Bark "SAMUEL D. CARLETON," Freeman, Master, will load, here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 19th December, 1882.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Bark

Josselyn, Master will load at Whampon for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

'JOHN D. BREWER,"

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 15th December, 1882. FOR NEW YORK.

HE 3/3 L. I. German Ship "MOMMSEN," Wilms, Master, will load here for the above

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Hongkong, 20th November, 1882."

Mails. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM

SHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO

Japan, the united states. TOTICE is Niceby given that an EXTRA- CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA. AND

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship "OCEANIC." will be despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 23rd instant, THREE P.M. To be followed by the Steamship

"COPTIC," on THURSDAY, January 4th. 1883, at 3 P.M. Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full ; and same will be received at the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day pre-

vious to sailing. RETURN PASSAGES .- Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 per cent from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of to per cent. will be made from Return Fare Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 per cent. from Return Fare: These allowances do not apply to through

Jares from China and Japan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland, Mexican, Central, and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Fran-

For further information as to Freight or. Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company No. 50A, Queen's Road Central

Hongkong, 13th December, 1882.

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DYATHE ADVERTISES OFFICE ASSISTANT OR STORE-KEEPER

Care of Hongkong Telegroph. Hongkong, 13th December, 1882. [516]

Address

L'A or GENERAL ASSISTANT, by a Gentlemen. who has a few hours during the day, disengaged In case full office hours is required, arrangements references. Salary no object.

Care of this Office. Hongkong, 10th November, 1882. NOTICE OF REMOVAL

DA ROZA'S HAIR CUTTING BALOON HAS BEEN REMOVED TO No. 27, POTTINGER STREET.

Shaving, Shampooing, &c., by expendent enced ar William and at LOW RATES. RAZORS CAREFULLY RESET.

Note the address - No. 27, Pottinger Street [418] Hobgiong and Movember, 1882

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A. S. WATSON & CO. INVITE INSPECTION OF A WELL

SELECTED STOCK OF FANCY CHRISTMAS

COMPRISING (--CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS IN GREAT VARIETY.

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FANCY SATIN COVERED BOXES

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SCIENTIFIC TOYS.

ATKINSON'S, HENDRIE'S, AND LUBIN'S PERFUMES.

CHEMISTS, DRUGGISTS.

PERFUMERS. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. ESTABLISHED 1841.

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

It is requested that all communications relating to Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c., be addressed to the "Manager, Hongkong Telegraph" and not to the Editor.

Letters on Editorial matters to be sent to "The Editor" and not to individual members of the Communications intended for publication must

be accompanied by the name and address of the writers, not necessarily for publication; but as evidence of good faith.

Whilst the columns of the Hougkong Teleeraph will always be open for the fair discussion by correspondents of all questions affecting public interests, it must be distinctly understood that the Editor does not in any way hold himself responsible for opinions thus expressed.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers are requested to forward all notices intended for insertion in that day's issue not later than THREE O'CLOCK so as not to retard the early publication of the papers

Arrangements have been made to publish The Hongkong Telegraph daily at 4 P.M. Subscribers in the central districts who do not receive their copies before FIVE O'CLOCK will oblige by at once communicating with the Manager.

BIRTH.

On the 21st December, 1882, at 4 P.M., the wife of Dr. O. F. von Mollendorff, Vice-Consul for Germany of a daughter.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1882.

Wherever independent journals exist, actions at law, or criminal prosecutions for libel can scarcely be avoided. We have only been in existence for eighteen months and during that time we have on two separate occasions been involved in libel proceedings. It can hardly be considered singular, even in a British dependency, that in neither instance did we obtain justice, or anything approaching it; however, that is not to the point just now. The next libel sensation will not take place in Hongkong; the neighbouring Colony of Macao will be the battle-field. Our plainspeaking contemporary, the lately resuscitated Independents has been pitching into our worthy friend Mr. DOMINGO C. PACHECO, the President of the Municipal Chamber, and Vice-Consul for Slam, and Mr. PACHECO feeling aggrieved, at what he says are vile slanders, has sought legal redress, a commodity, we may add, extremely rare and difficult to be obtained in the "Modern Gomorrah." However, Mr. DA Sizva, the Editor of the Macao newspaper, is said to have decided to stand to his guns manfully, and he most certainly has our best wishes, whatever they may be worth. There are so many far, more sensible methods of settling differences which may occur between public functionaries and the public press than the idiotic arbitration provided by a most iniquitous law, that we have no sympathy with men who seek redress in a manner which, notwithstanding its being shielded and protected by special statutes, is alike contemptible and unsatisfactory, ments which the gratitude of the nation has erected and which in but few instances can be to perpetuate the memory of those illustrious men justified.

We cannot pretend to be thoroughly acquainted with the detailed particulars of the article in the Independente which has roused the Ire of the veteran President of the Municipal Chamber to such an extent as to induce him to invoke the aid of a statute for which like all liberal minded Portuguese, he must have a thorough contempt. Besides, under all circumstances. Mr. Dougnes C. Pacheco should have been about the last man in this secluded quarter of the globe to appear as the complainant in a criminal prosecution for libel. We have a sort of vague notion that this gentleman was in some way or other connected with the action against the Echo de

Povo in the notorious MARCUS PEREIRA SCANdal, and not on the side of the prosecution. It is quite true that the Independente has of late gone to extreme lengths in its public criticisms of the Macao Government, and we must admit, even with our knowledge of the thorough worthlessness and corruption of that ignoble institution, that in some respects 'our contemporary's personalities have exceeded the limits of journalistic license. But as these comments have apparently been made without the slightest tinge of malice, and for the sole purpose of removing public abuses which are a crying disgrace to a civilised nation, we should have imagined that a native born Macaense, like the patriot Pacheco, would have resorted to every conceivable expedient to set himself right with his countrymen and the press, rather than take proceedings which must inevitably tend to fetter the liberties of the people. We shall watch with interest the progress

TELEGRAMS.

sensational cause cillbre.

of what appears likely to prove a most

LONDON, 21st December, 1882. THE NEW PRIMATE.

The Bishop of Truro has been appointed Archbishop of Canterbury.

THE PEACE OF EUROPE. The President of the Hungarian Council of

Ministers, replying to a question, said that the disquieting-reports-were-exaggerated,-and-that-the peace of Europe was not menaced.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The race-ponies Gang Forward, Pizzicato, and Allegro arrived by the steamship Ajax from Foochow yesterday evening.

THE steamship Crusader went overto Kowloon

Docks this morning to receive new boilers and undergo extensive repairs. 🔩 WE learn that the Hongkong and Whampos

Dock Company have in hand the construction of new boilers for the river steamer Kinkiang.

Major Moore-Lane, R.A., the Commandant o the Hongkong Volunteers, has issued a circular which reads as follows:--The Drill season of the above Corps, will commence on Wednesday next, the 27th instant at Head Quarters at 5.1 p.m. The Honorary Surgeon will attend on Wednesday next from 5.30 to 6.30 p.m., and in tending Volunteers are requested to present themselves at that hour for enrolment.

THORNTON, the barman of the "Central Hotel," convicted of stealing \$200 from an engineer named Stafford, was sentenced this morning by the Chief Justice to three months' imprisonment, his lordship taking into account the temptation to which Thornton was exposed, his previous good character, and the fact that the money had been restored to Stafford.-We understand that the case against the Chinese would-be incendiary who intended to burn out his sweetheart lately, has been postponed til next week, and that the local fire offices are strongly interesting themselves in the matter.

VOLTAIRE, says the Cornhill Magazine, was. Macao the following day. He kept a record of all perhaps the first writer of eminence in Europe | registered letters leaving the Post office, and that who had the courage to vindicate the dignity of letter was not in the list. He concluded it had trade. Herelates with pride how, when the Earl of been stolen from the case in which registered Oxford held the reins of Great Britain in his hands, his younger brother was a factor at Aleppo; how, when Lord Townsend was directing the councils of his sovereigns in the Painted Chamber, one of his nearest relatives was soliciting custom in a counting house in the city. He draws a sarcastic parallel between a "seigneur, powdered in the life of the mode, who knows exactly what o'clock the king rises and goes to bed, and who gives himself airs of grandeur and state at the same time he is acting the slave in the antichamber of a Prime Minister," and a morchant who enriches his country, despatches orders from his counting house to Surat and Grand Cairo, and contributes to the felicity of the world. But nothing impressed him so deeply as the homage paid, and paid-by-all-classes, to intellectual eminence. Parts and genius were, he observed, a sure passport, not, as in France; to the barren wreath of the Academy, but to affluence and popularity. By his pen Addison had risen to one of the highest offices of the State. A few graceful poems had made the fortunes of Stepney, Prior, Gay, Parnell, Tickell, and Ambrose Philipps. By his essays Steele had won a Commissionership of Stamps and a place in Parliament, A single comedy had made Congreye independent for life. Newton was Master of the Mint, and Locke had been a Commissioner of Appeals. He records with pride that the portrait of Walpole was to be seen only in his own closet, but that the portraits of Pope were to be seen in half the great houses in England. "Go," he says, "into Westminster Abbey, and you find that wha mausoleums of the English Kings, but the monuwho contributed to its glory." He thought bitterly how in his own country, he had seen Crebillon on the verge of perishing by hunger, and the son of Racine in the last stage of abject destitution. When, too, on his return to France, he saw the body of poor Adrienne le Couvreur refused the last rites of religion, and buried with the buriel of a dog, "because she was an actress," his thoughts wandered to the generous and largehearted citizens who laid the coffin of Anne Oldfield beside the coffins of their Kings and of

O rivile d'Athène, O Loudre I heureuse terre, Ainsi que los tyrans, vous aver en chaseer Les presjuges inntere qui vous, livraient la guerre.
Les presjuges inntere qui vous, livraient la guerre.
Cost la qu'on seit tost dire et tout recompenser.
Nul art n'est inépries, tout succès a se gloire.
Le vainqueur de Tallard, le fils de la victoire.
Le sublime Dryden, et le sage Addison.

Re la charmente Oldfield, et l'immones Newton.
Ont part su temple de mémoire.

Et le Couvraur la Lieutre aurait su des sambeaux.
Parmi les beaux-seprits, les role et les laires.
Quiconque a des inleuts à Landre set en grand homme.

THE greatest credit is due to the ladies of the WHAT do you charge for a death notice in this Colony for the splended arrangement of the bazaar at the City Hall this afternoon. Flowers in the richest profusion ornamented each stall, the general appearance being most imposing reminding us of the poet's words :--

Were I O God in churchless lands remaining.

Far from all voice of teachers and divines.

My soul would find in flowers of Thine ordaining.

Priests, sermons, shrines. We regret our early hour of going to press will not permit us to give a detailed account, or as to the result, which we sincerely hope will meet the expectations of the promoters, being for a most praiseworthy object, in aid of the Baxter Chinese Girls' Schools. The assembly of ladies in St. Andrew's Hall quite took away our breath, depriving us of courage to enter the sacred precincts, being, as is well known, of an exceedingly bashful temperament. We can only hope that the fair sex will have their expectations fully realized. The Band of the Buffs had not commenced to perform when we left. We observed Mrs. Marsh there exerting herself with great energy.

It is now generally known, observes a Sydney contemporary, that the Duke of Westminster, who lately married the sister of his son's wife, proposed to the Empress Eugénie, and was refused. The exact terms in which he made his offer have not yet been made public, but the interview is believed to have been as follows :- The Duke came to the Empress at Chiselhurst as Majesty was counting the family jam-jars. Voolez-vous marier moa?" enquired his Grace "Jamais," replied the Empress. "Jammy ?!" repeated the Duke; "ah, she doesn't understand lf you say yes, Madam," he went on, "it won' be jammy, but plummy. I have got," he added as an inducement, "plenty arjong." "Cela ne -peut-pas-se-faire," said-Eugénie. - "Non-comprenny," murmured the Duke. Then sang th Empress, clicking two jam-pots together as she used to do the castanets in Andalusia—

Not for Jo-you must know-Duka, you are a ninny; Not for Jo-oh, no, no! And also not for 'Genie."

The Duke then retired, and the Empress went on counting her jam-pots; and, for aught we know to the contrary, she may be counting them

WE regret to hear that young Sanches, who was appointed a sorter in the Post Office shortly after the sudden death of his father, an old and respected public servant, at Singapore a short time ago, has come to grief. The influence of surroundings and bringing-up cannot be better illustrated than in his person. Deprived of the tender care of a mother at an early age, and seldom under the supervision of his father, whose duties as Marine Sorter took him frequently away from the Colony; the youngster had pretty well his own way and, as is generally the case, did not acquire habits calculated to advance him in life. He was this morning at the Police Court committed for trial on a very serious charge by Captain Thomsett, namely, for stealing a registered letter on the sard ultimo while in the employment of the Postmaster General. Mr. Lister, who preferred the charge, said the defendant was ap pointed to the Post Office as a sorter in March last and had made the usual declaration in such Upon his (Mr. Lister's) return from England at the end of October, his attention

was directed to the less of letters from the Post Office. On the 20th instant his notice was called to the disappearrance of a registered letter for Macao which reached the office on the 23rd November, and should have gone to letters are kept, which was accessible to the clerks, and kept open from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. His suspicion was directed to the prisoner, and in consequence he visited his lodgings vesterday at about 12.30 p.m., accompanied by Mr. da Costa, a Post Office employé. The prisoner went with them and raised no objection to his (Mr. Lister's) going to the house seeming disposed to shew everything (Mr. Lister) wished to see at his lordgings. Upon reaching the house, prisoner opened a chest of drawers. One drawer, which was locked, was opened by Mr. da Costa with his own key, pr soner raising no objection, In that drawer he found mixed up with other things aix registered letters, all of which had been opened fifteen ordinary letters, also opened, seventeen unopened, and six empty envelopes, which had been through the Post office, directed to various people, seven letters without covers one Oriental Bank bill of exchange drawn at Yokohama, on London, he thought, some obliterated postage stamps, and some clean stamps, also a number of photographs, Christman cards, books and small albums. Several of the envelopes had been deprived of their stamps and some of the empty covers fitted the photos. The seventeen unopened letters had been sent to their destination, and he was endeavouring to find owners for the other articles. The registered letter produced was found in the same drawer, and bore the Amoy post stamp of the 18th November. The mark on the letter shewed was registered, and it was addressed Mrs. raises the admiration of the spectator is not the Maria J. Goulate at Macao, purporting to enclose \$7. Two unopened letters were found in prisoner's drawer at the Post Office, and have been sent to their addresses. He took prisoner to the Police Station and preferred the present charge against him. Police Constable Mann said he searched the prisoner at the Police Station upon being requested to; do so, and found in his possession the receipt. for a registered letter produced, also two opened letters, 2 papers and 41 obliterated postage stamps, & Russian Bank notes, 2 ten dollar notes, 4 five dollar notes, and other things. Inspector Lindsay said he read the charge to the prisoner at the Station, who made no reply. He directed the search made by Constable Mann, and saw the articles taken from the pri-

soner. Mr. da Costa gave evidence corre-

the prisoner's lodgings, and said he knew of his

borative of Mr. Listers as to what occurred at

own knowledge hat a great many letters had been

paper ?" snapped a diamond pointed nosed woman at the advertising desk of the Brooklyn Eagle the other night. " Hall a dollar ma'am," replied the clerk. "Folks can't die without paying it, I suppose !" snarled the woman. "Oh, they can die," responded the clerk, " but it costs that to publish the fact." "Twenty dollars for a coffin, fifteen for the grave, ten for hacks, and only three hundred for my mourning, and now. I've got to pay fifty cents to draw a crowd. Think I'm made of money?" "I don't know, ma'am," returned the clerk, scratching his head, "Mean to say you won't print this notice for less than half a dollar?" "That's the regular price, ma'am." "Then I s'pose I've got to pay it, or there won't a soul see my new hat and veil. Take your money, but you bet it will come out of the coffin. I won't knock a cent off my mourning if I have to mince him up and plant him it a Scidlitz powder box !"

HONGKONG PUBLIC SCHOOL.

DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES.

His Excellency the Administrator attended at St. Paul's College this morning to distribute the prizes to the successful pupils of the Hongkong Public School. His Excellency was accompanied by his aide-de-camp, Major Hamilton of the Buffs, and there were also present, Mr. Russell Colonial Treasurer and Registrar-General, Mr. H. H. Nelson, the Rev. Mr. Jennings, Mr. Lammert, several ladies, and others. His Excellency having taken his seat at the distributing desk, the Rev. Mr. Jennings said the examination held was independent of that conducted by Dr. Eitel on behalf of the Government. He was sorry they had not the official report of Dr. Eitel, so that they might know how many boys had passed their examination, and he was also sorry that only fourteen boys were eligible for it. He bored parents would make an effort to sent boys more regularly to school, which would

help the institution. He would ask the Administrator to kindly present the prizes. One boy was obliged to go to his home in Swatow, and two who reside in Manila went there and did not come back, thus reducing the pupils to nineteen They had generally twenty one.

His Excellency, after distributing the prizes to the boys, there being a clapping of hands as each presentation was made, said it gave him great pleasure to act on the occasion. The result of the examination showed considerable progress over the preceding year, which was to be expected as the late master had been ill for some time, and a great many of the boys suffered from an epidemic of mumps, which prevented their attendance. He congratulated the maste on the hopes held out by Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin having been fulfilled. The school was started about the time he left Hongkong for England. The number of pupils was not not so large as was expected when the school was first started. was thought that Europeans at the coast ports would send their boys more largely but these expectations had not been realized. It was the only school in the colony where a good religious education according to the Church of England could be obtained, and he was surprised the coast ports did not send more boys. When the school was better known, he hoped parents would take more advantage of it. The distance from home was so great and also the expense of sending boys there to be educated, that such a school was rendered very desirable He hoped that at the distribution of prizes next year there would be a larger attendance of boys.

The Rev. Mr. Jenkins said the vacation commenced to-day and school would recommence on the 8th January. He would propose a vote of thanks to the Chairman for his kindness in distributing the prizes, and for the kind manner. which His Excellency had addressed the parents of the boys.

Mr. Hamlin said he had great pleasure in seconding the motion. He had conscientiously performed his duties, but most of the credit was due to the boys, who had applied themselves to their studies better. He and his pupils were beginning to understand each other. Some of the boys had a strong will, and the Master also had a strong will. He thanked His Excellency-for coming there and also the gentlemen who kindly assisted in the examination—the Rev. Mr. Jennings, M.A., the Rov. H. Wilson Lee, B.A.,

and Mr. J. B. Coughtrie. The business being finished, three cheers were given by the boys for the Administrator, three more for the ladies, some general cheering also taking place. The company then dispersed. The following are the names of the boys to whom prizes were awarded and the subjects in which they distinguished themselves:-

1 .-- Theodore Lammert: -- Attendance, general geography, holy scripture, writing and com position, arithmetic, geology, and physical Anton Möller :- Grammar, Euclid, geo-

graphy. "maps." freehand drawing. and

shaded drawing. and physical geography.

scripture, arithmetic, Euclid, and attendance. .-Fred Grimble :- Scripture (and). -Alfred Ramsey :- Arithmetic, geography geology, scripture, and drawing.

8 .- Frank Lammert :- Reading, writing, and general proficiency. g.—Herbert Grimble :—Dictation. to .- Andrew Millar :- Attendance, writing, and

11. Ernest Lammert :- General proficiency. 12. Fred Horspool :- Maps, drawing, scripture, and arithmetic. 13.-Stewart Anton : Attendance, and scripture.

14.—Willie Adnams :- Scripture, and good 15. D. N. Mehta :- Reading, and writing. x6:-Willie Houghton :-Writing, and dictation

17.—John Millar :-- Attendance. 18.—Harvey Edge :-- Encouragement. 10-1. Williams - Writing, and geography.

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NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL

We take the subjoined telegrains from our San Francisco exchanges received by the O. O. Co.'s steamer Coptic, Captain W. H. Kidley, which arrived here this forencon with San Francisco mails of the 23rd ultimo:-

VIENNA, November 17th. Much alarm was caused yesterday by an incidental remark in Von Plenner's speech to the delegations. In alluding to private information given to the delegations, by Count Kalnoky, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Von Plenner begged the government not to give way to warlike tendencies, but to preserve peace at any price, except that of dishonor. It is generally thought he alluded to the possibility of war with Russia in the Spring.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 17th. Lightning -struck and exploded a powder magazine in the fortress at Scutari, doing much

damage, but causing no loss of life. The arrival of Abdullah at Muscat has excited the Ottoman Kurds, and a Turkish force has been sent to preserve order.

CAIRO, November 17th. Evidence of Sulieman Doub that Arabi Pasha ordered them to set Alexandria on fire and murder the Khedive is generally discredited. Sultan Pasha denies meeting Sulieman Doub on the way to Ramich Palace to murder the

PARIS, November 17th M. Duclerc, Minister of Foreign Affairs, has decided to oppose an inquiry into the trouble at Monceau-les-Mines.

Le Reveille, a Swiss journal, has been seized the frontier. It contained a number of socialist articles.

LONDON, November 17th. There was a fearful explosion of dynamite thi morning at the works in Burryport, Wales, instantly killing three girls and two men, and wounding several others.

GUYAQUIL, November 17. The Government forces won a battle at Chambo, a small village t20 miles north of Guyaquil The President has ordered six days mourning for

PARIS. November 17th. President Grevy has been urged to resign, as the only means of prolonging his life.

DUBLIN, November 17th Patrick Casey, found guilty of murder of the Joyce family, has been sentenced to be hanged on December 17th.

PARIS, November 18th. In the Chamber of Deputies to-day, Duclere President of the Council, read a bill ratifying De Brazza's Congo treaty. The bill was received with applause and urgency declared for it. committee to consider the bill will be appointed

Mazel (Radical) introduced and demanded ur gency for the proposed temporary liberty of the imprisoned rioters at the Montceau-les-Mines The Government opposed the demand for urg ency, and it was rejected-384 to 76.

Roche brought forward an interpeliation. notice of which had caused considerable sensa tion, accusing De Freycinet, late President the council, of having, when in office, illegal alloted 50,000 francs to the Archbishop of A

The motion to grant that amount being re jected by the Chambers, Minister Fallieneas explained that the allotment was in payment of an advance made by the Archbishop, who has patriotically promoted French influence in Tun at a great personal sacrifice,

The order of the day, pure and simple, w moved by the Ministry, and the motion adopted

'NEW YORK, November 18th The Herald's London special says:-The Silver King," a new melodrama, by Messrs. ones and Herman, was produced at the Princess' ers are Wilfred Denver, a self-accused murderer, afterwards known as Silver King, he l'having made an immense fortune in Nevada silver mines; Nellie, his long-suffering and faithful wife; Captain Skinner, known as Spider, gentleman burglar. The house roundly

hissed the villain as a mark of the disapproba tion of his villany and in approval of the excellence of his performance. At the end Mr. Barrett asked whether the piece was a success? A loud unanimous shout of "yes" was the repl The authors were then summoned before the

LONDON, November 18th. The News states that there is very slight probability that Yorke's motion for a committee inquire: as to the circumstances under which Parnell. Dillon and O'Kelly, were released from Kilmainham Jail will prevail, although Gladstone. expressed a desire that it should not be opposed.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 18th. The Porte has formed a sub-Commission of Public Work to draft a list of all concessions to be granted to settlers. The list includes railways, roads, mines, tramways and harbors in all parts of the Empire. The design of the Ministry is to draw foreign capital and open up the country.

LONDON, November 18th. The Queen to-day reviewed 8,000 of the troops which took part in the Egyptian campaign. The Duke of Connaught headed the brigade of foot; guards, who were received by the Queen in front

presentatives of each regiment. A general presentation of medals will take place at Windsor on Tuesday,

Havana, November 18th/ The Italian bark Catering, from Pensacola, has arrived at quarantine here. The whole the Crown, asking life servitude instead o crew, excepting the captain, mate, cook and steward, died of yellow fever at Pensacola, and I when the vessel was a day out from that port the captain and cook died of the same disease.

The Government continues to decline all attempts of other powers to open or exchange .-Lionel Barff:- Geography, geology, writing, notes on the question of Egypt. Until the Anglomaps, freehand drawing, shaded drawing, French negotiations are concluded. Bismarck is determined not to speak.

BERLIN. November 18thus

6.—Bertie Sampson: Reading, writing, and death. He was first cousin of the man Joyce who was murdered.

> VIENNA, November 18th. scized a large number of socialist pamphlets and the house of a legitimist. explosive bullets.

NEW YORK, November 19th. The Tribunes London cable says :- The rapid progress of business before Parliament during the week surprises both parties. The systematic bestructions designed by Lord Churchill have nearly broken down, the most influential section of the Tories, and the Parnellites, as a party, alike declining to follow Lord Randolph's lead. The Standard confesses that the ministers have reason for something more upon mispicion of being Nikilists.

Latisfactory, but predicts the coming concession to the Irish in exchange for suspended hostility.

The same journal threatens like the House of the Arabi Pashs into large, and Broadley busy Lords will likimately reject every measure passed. withdrawn from the defence after vigorously. In the Common by prison of the closure. By protesting against the foldion of the agreement more of the common of the clusters are nevely revival to that a linear protest of the common of the common of the clusters are nevely revival to that a linear property of the common of the clusters are nevely revival to that a linear protest of the common of the clusters are nevely revival to that a linear protest of the common of the clusters are nevely revival to that a linear protest of the common of the clusters are nevely revival to the common of the clusters are nevely revival to the clusters are nevel revival to the clusters are nevely revival to the clusters are nevel revival

The Radicals were never more confident in their strength than they are now, thanks to the Jingo fever, for exciting which Lord Beaconsfield was so mercilessly hunted down.

The opposition to the closure in the House of Commons, has practically, collapsed, Lord Randolph Churchill's tactics being found clever but impossible. At the close of the session there will certainly be a reconstruction of the cabinet, and Mr. Gladstone will at least resign one of his LONDON, Nov. 19th.

Sir Stafford Northcote's malady is weak action of the heart, but it is not immediately dangerous. although of serious consequence, if exposed to further anxiety and worry. The members consider Lord Randolph Churchill measurably responsible for Sir Stafford Northcote's illness. Mr. Cross succeeds temporarily to the leadership." The party fully expects that Sir Stafford Northcote will resume his duties next session.

Lord Dufferin is credited with making rapid progress in ingratiating himself with the Egyptian notables, But there will be little progress in the direction of the formal admission of England's policy until Arabi's trial is out of the way.

'Arabi's recent letter in the Times attracted great attention by its independent courage and audacity. Gladstone questioned its authenticity in the House, whereupon the Times asserted it strongly.

The fears of an Austro-Russian : war seem not to be warranted. Plenar and the reporter of the Committee on Foreign Office Budget, who, at the sitting of the Austrian delegation in Pesth-Thursday, intimated the possibility of a war with Russia, are unofficial personages, and their utterances are not regarded as authoritative. MADRID, November 19th.

The infant princess was to-day baptized in the presence of the members of the court, the Spanish Ministers, the representatives of foreign powers, and deputations from the Senate and the Chamber of Deputies. The Empress of Austria was represented by the Queen's mother as sponsor for the child.

LYONS, November 10th. Twenty-five persons, including three foreigners were arrested to-day and charged with being members of an association formed for the purpose of fomenting strikes among workmen, obtaining a general division of property, and destroying the sentiment of patriotism in the people.

LONDON, November 19th. The Marquis of Queensbury's sister, the Lady Sertrude Douglass, has scandalized society durng the week by the disclosure of her marriage to a baker. Her ladyship is by no means of tender years and the baker is only twenty-one. Her ladyship, has money and the young man is

CAIRO, November 19th. The Egyptian troops ordered to the Soudan desert in large numbers, and as a precaution the arms and ammunition required for the expedition are being forwarded to Soudan separately

PARIS, November 10th. The Liberte announces that in consequence I the treaty concluded by De Brazia a French gunboat will be dispatched up the Congo River.

LONDON, November 20th. In the Commons to-day Trevelyan, Chief Secretary for Ireland, informed Parnell that unions in the western part of Ireland had been ordered to relieve distressed people, and the local government has instructed the inspectors to see that arrangements, were sufficient, and relief measures were not interfered with for/want of

Gladstone, in reply to an inquery from William Forster, stated the Government was anxious to to deal with the question of suppression of the slave trade in Egypt, and the first dispatch to Lord Dufferin since his arrival at Cairo related to that subjective

Sexton gave notice that when the report of the committee in Gray's case came up he would move that the powers of judges in cases of contempt of court ought to be decided and limited by statute. Courtney, Secretary of the Treasury, informed Parnell that up to the present time the applications under the Land Act by tenants for loans to

improve their holdings numbered 625, of which 3to had been granted, and 210 were inadmissible) and were being investigated. Gladstone, in reply to an inquiry from Parnell, stated the Government was not at present con-

templating any amendment to the Arrears of Trevelyan said that up to the 15th instanti apri

plications under the Atears of Rent Act reached 14,167. The Land Commissioners, he said hoped to settle before the 30th instant all cases lodged with them prior to November 15th.

Ten thousand persons attended a meeting of the Irish National League yesterday. Among the speakers were Sullivan and O'Kelly, mentbers of Parliament. The latter referred to what he called the efforts of Davitt to split the Irish Party, and said they were tantamount to stabbing Ireland in the back. He threatened to resign his seat if the country did not favoralle. glance to Parnell. He advised the farmers to take advantage of the Arrears of Rent Art A vote of confidence in the speakers was carried DUBLIN November 20th

The Freeman's Yournal says .- The Pope at recent interview. expressed his horror at the outrages committed in Ireland, and charged the Bishops to use their utmost exertions to prevent the people offending against the laws Michael Casey, father of Patrick Casey, sen-

tenced to be hanged for the murder of Bridget The Queen presented war medals to two ver Hoyce, has been indicted for complicity in the It is very probable after the trial of Michae Casey the remaining four prisoners, accused of complicity in the loyce murders will plead guilty and throw themselves on the mercy of

> After taking formal evidence to-day, Delaney, charged with attempting to assassinate Judge Lawson, the accused was committed for trial of the mext Dublin Commission. The prisoner was guarded to and from the police station by a strong escort of mounted police with drawn sabres.

The Parnellities have resolved not to take united action in relation ito Yorke's motion for Miles Joyce, arraigned for the murder of Mrs. | the circumstances under which Parnell Dillon loyce, was to-day convicted and sentenced to and O'Kelly were released from Kilmainliam

Several Legitimists in the Department of Ven-The police at Hamburg made a domiciliary dec have received threatening letters from anar-visit and arrested six mechanics. They also chists. A dynamic bonto has been thrown into Two more persons, accused of being enar chists, were arrested at Lyons yesterday. Two more were arrested at St. Etlenne on a similar

Charge () | SERIEN November 2011.

The police have interdicted sales of a pain phiet purporting to be a contribution on the labor question in the shape of the speeches delivered in the Reichstag.

Seventeen persons have been arrested here

endenvored to prevent incendiarism and protected Christians, 😘

GUAYAQUII, November 20th. There was a fearful explosion to-day at a powder magazine half a mile north of town. is rumored ten persons were killed, and a church and several houese were nearly destroyed. LONDON, November 20th.

Kennard (Conservative) is elected member of Parliament for Salisbury, defeating Grenfell Liberal).

DUBLIN, November 21st. The remaining four men charged with complicity in the murder, of the Joyce family, who have not yet been brought to trial, to-day pleaded guilty, and threw themselves on the clemency of the Crows. They were sentenced to death. Malley, of counsel, in submitting the plea of

pathetic appeal for the men.

others to mercy.

which he hoped would sink deeply into the hearts to the northwestern part of Canada. of others, of the consequences of joining a secret society. It was not improbable, he said, that

the murder of the loyce family arrived in Galway in the report. this evening under a strong guard. They were hooted at by a large crowd. After the conclusion of the Joyce murder trial, a juryman who had been one of the armed party which attacked the houses in County Clare, was sentenced to seven years-penal-servitudo....

The prisoners will be hanged December 15th. QUEBEC, November 21st. Wearmouth, for London, lumber laden, was the Government to pack the Legislative Council wrecked during the gale and snow storm on in order to pass a vote for the payment of hall Magdalen Island, Sunday night. The vessel the Florence damages and costs by the colony broke in four pieces. ... The crew all perished except five. The names of the saved are McCaul-

after midnight. The gale and snow storm were In the meantime, defensive arrangements on the terrific. The crew hung by the vessel till 11 island are proceeding with. At a mass meeting o'clock yesterday, when she broke up. The crew on the island, one of the speakers said that any numbered twenty men. Sixteen were drowned | tenant paying rent, unless a revaluation was in trying to reach land. The vessel was owned granted, would be a marked man. by J. S. Barwick of Sunderland. She did not belong to any line.

WINDSOR, November 21st. The total number of decorations presented to the troops to-day, including those given to the Indian contingent, was 370.

The Queen, in conferring the decorations, said: "I have called upon you to-day to express my best thanks for the gallantry and devotion you displayed in the short but decisive campaign in Egypt, and say how proud I am of my soldiers and sailors, who have added fresh laurels to those already obtained in previous campaigns, and of their devotion to their Queen and country.

When the Queen had finished conferring decorations, site presented a medal to Baron Hogenau of the German Ministry, an attache of the British in Egypt.

LONDON, November 21st. The formal charges against Arabi Pasha cite articles of the Ottoman penal and military codes. Broadley and Napier, counsel for Arabi, in a as the time is inopportune for raising the question public letter, contend that to be convicted under of supporting Turkey. those codes the rebels must have waged war against the Sultan. The letter also declares the . A Berlin dispatch says :- In recognition of his prisoners will prove that the Porte approved their | meritorious service in Egypt, the Emperor of action from first to last, and that the Khedive | Germany has presented the Duke of Connaught also, long before the commencement of the war, with the Order of Frederick the Great. wavered between the foreign party and the Nationalists, but that after the arrival of Dervisch Pasha in Egypt, he acquiesced in the early phases

Toward the close of last evening's session of the House of Commons, Gladstone moved an adjournment of the debate on the procedure rules, in redemption of his promise to give Yorke an opportunity to move the appointment of a select committee of inquiry into the release of Parnell, Dillon and O'Kelly from Kilmainham jail. Laboucheré by opposing the motion for adjourn-ment, talked out Yorke's motion. Unless the Government gives a satisfactory assurance on Thursday regarding the Arrears of Rent Act, Parnell will move an adjournment of the House in order to call attention to the theatened failure

PARIS, November 21st. To-day the Chamber of Deputies adopted a bill ratifying De Brazza's treaty with the Congo Chief Makako. Duclerc, President of the Council, said the execution of the treaty could not give rise to any difficulty. He also read the text of the treaty of 1836 with Portugal. He pointed out that it reserved all the rights of France. The government, he said, will shortly ask for a grant of 200,000 francs for the De Brazza expedition, to enable him to establish twelve scientific, commerical and hospital stations along the Congo

BERLIN, November 21st. Deglers leaves here on Wednesday. He and the Russian Ambassador observe the strictest reticence in regard to their visit at Varzen. PARIS, November 21st.

. The Parlement and the Temps regard the visit of Degiers as foreshadowing a revival of alliance between the Emperors of Germany, Austria and Russia:

LONDON, November 31st. . The Daily Telegraph says a communication was received last evening from a gentleman in the confidence, of the Madagascar Envoys, stating that the French authorities had threatened, unless their terms are at once acceded to, that they will send a French gunboat to altack certain posts in Madagascar.

MUNICH, November 21st. A duel occurred yesterday at Wutzburg, between Captain Emmerich, who was killed, and Herr Meyer, a Jew. The dual was forced on Captain Emmerich by a court of honor. It was fought with pistols at five paces. Meyer was

the challenger. MONTREAL, November 21th. A claim for \$1,000,000 will be preferred against the United States from this province for wrongfully charging so per cent duty on hay imported,

when the proper duty was only to per cent. Sa. PETERSBURO, November 21st. The Emperor and Empress drove through the city on Sunday in an open sledge to the Michaeloff Palace. As they passed through the streets they were greeted with the greatest enthusiasm.

LONDON, November 21st The Commons Committee of investigation as to the imprisonment of E. Dwyer Gray, at a meeting to-day, reconsidered its report, Sexton's paragraph was rejected—only Sexton, McCarthy and Dillwyn voting for its

Crry of Mexico, November 12nd. The opening of an important branch of the Mexican Central Railway, which places the great mining region of Guana Justo in communi-cation with the national capital, is being celebrated with great splendor. An excursion was made from Mexico to Guana Justo, representing

ests of the country. Atached to the engine in front was a figure of Liberty holding the torch of progress, and on either side Mexican and American flags. The populations of the towns and cities through which the train moved turned out en masse, and residences all along the route were illuminated. Guana Juato presented a grand spetacle. The streets were crowded, the public garden and alameda profusely decorated with Chinese lanterns, the government buildings, business houses and private residences were brilliantly lighted. There was a fine display of fire-works, a military parade and a grand banquet. The party were guests of the city. A grand ball will be given to-night. The party return to

Mexico on a special train on Thursday. LONDON, Nov. 22nd. Giffen, President of the Statistical Society, in guilty, pointed out the gradations of guilt among his inaugural address, took for his subject, "Inthe prisoners and the mysterious influences of fluence of population statistics upon political which they were the instruments, and made a thought." He referred to the growth of population in the United States, which, if continued, he The Attorney-General said that, now that jus- said, would cause great difficulties. Masses of tice had been vindicated by sentencing the three | laborers would have to contend under increased principal criminals, he would recommend the difficulties against the fall in the scale of living, and probably there would eventually be a diver-Judge Barry, in passing sentence, informed the | sion of a large part of the stream of emigration prisoners they furnished a terrible example, from Europe and the Eastern States of America

CAIRO, November 22nd. A report has been prepared by Borelli Bey, some of them had been terrorized into joining public prosecutor, in which he summarizes facts the gang who murdered Joyce, and had not taken | directly connecting Arabi Pasha and the other an actual manual part in the massacre, but per- rebel leaders with the burning of Alexansons joining an unlawful enterprise are respon- dria and the massacre of Europeans. It sible for the acts of all the parties thereto. So has been submitted to the Khedive and far as he was personally concerned, he should be approved, and will be presented to Lord Dufvery glad if those with whom the decision rested | ferin. It is understood the Egyptian Governcould see their way to a merciful consideration of ment is prepared to leave it to Great Britain to decide whether the evidence is sufficient for pro-Three of the men sentenced to be hanged for | ceeding with the trial on the charges specified

KINGSTON, November 14th. The national agitation in Jamaica has reached a very serious and critical stage, while the colony is united against the Government, and the indignation of every class and creed and color is poured forth in violent speech in public meetings held in every township in the colony. Lord Kimberley is denounced at public meetings, Advices have been received that the steamship in consequence of the peremptory orders he sent LONDON, November 22nd.

The authorities of Aberdeenshire have agreed land, Townsend, Martin and Chief Engineer to send a detachment of police to the Island of Skye if the Commissioners of Invernesshire will The Wear mouth went ashore half an hour hold themselves responsible for their expenses.

HALIFAX, November 22nd. Investigation as to the poor asylum disaster is finished. The jury found the fire accidental, and censures the asylum authorities for want of forethought in not providing for escape of the helpless inmates in the ward at the top of the

DUBLIN, November 22nd. Malley, counsel for the Joyco family murderers, has forwarded to the Viceroy a memorial praying for commutation of the sentences in the case of the five prisoners who pleaded guilty. Near Skibbereen, to-day, a farmer was stabled

by a party of men. His wounds are dangerous. Three persons charged with the murder of Huddis, at Lough Mask, have been removed from Galway to this city. CONSTANTINOPLE, November 22nd. The Porte is trying to ascertain the views of

Germany on the Egyptian and Tunis question. Bismarck has advised the Porte to remain quiet, LONDON, November 22nd.

LIVERPOOL, November 22nd. The steamer Winter, with grain from the Black Sea, has foundered off the Island of Ushant, on the coast of France. Thirty persons were drowned.

To-day's Advertisements.

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F. E. FOSTER Hongkong, 22nd December, 1882.

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CHRISTMAS, 1882.

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Perfume Caskets in oak, onyx and mosaic. Writing Sets in onyx and nickel plated. Ladies' Dressing Cases and Cabinets, hand-

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A VERY CHOICE AND VARIED ASSORTMENT OF TOYS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS. Drums, Cymbals and other musical instru-Railway Trains with rails. Rocking and Hobby Horses. India-rubber Balls and other Toys.

Christmas Cakes.

Jordan Almonds.

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Stilton Cheese.

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Assorted Pates.

Spiced Ox Tongues.

Smoked Ox Tongues.

Ox Tongues in Jelly.

Pic Nic Tongues.

Collared Ox Tongues.

Lemon Barley Sugar.

Assorted Choice French Bonbons.

Tunny Fish.

Pudding Raisins.

Plum Puddings 3lbs. to 9lbs.

Choice French Illums.

Christmas Cakes 4lbs. to 12lbs.

Dessert Fruits in Noycau and Brandy.

Mince Meat.

Cubes and Mosaic Building Sets. Children's Tea and Tête a tête Sets. Dolls Dressed and speaking and moving. Alphabetical Blocks. Mules, Dogs, Elephants, Horses. Boys Tools Chests. The Bicycle Race.

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Artillery Ten-pins. Puzzles and Boxes of Games. Christmas-Tree ornaments in great variety.

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Very Handsome Salad Bowls with Spoon

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Smokers' Tables.

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Choice American Bonbons and Candles. Butter Scotch, Toffee, Almond Rock, Lisbon Apples. Bordeaux Russets. Malaga Grapes. Brazil and Cob Nuts.

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Commercial.

THIS DAY.

Business in the Share Market is still the reverse of brisk. Banks are weaker with sellers at. 165 premium. Yangtsze Insurances, are very firm and are wanted at 885, a rise of 5 since yesterday; no transfers at the increased rate have come to our notice. Chinese Insurances are in request at 2321, but holders do not seem : inclined to dealeat that figure. Docks are in rather better odour and are wanted at 53 premium. Small sales of Luzons have been put through at quotation, and there are still sellers at the rate. Nothing in other stocks requires special comment.

4 o'clock p.m.

No other business has come under our notice excepting a small transaction in Docks at 55 for the end of January. There are still sellers of the stock on these terms.

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-165 'per cent, premium, sellers. Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$1,850 per share, buyers,

China Traders'. Insurance Company-\$1,550 per share. North China Insurance—Tis, 1,225 per share. Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$140 per share, sellers. Yangtsze Insurance Association-Tls. 885 per

share, buyers. Chinese Insurance Company-\$232} per share. On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 150

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$1125 per China Fire Insurance Company-\$3321 pershare, Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company-53

per cent. premium, buyers. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co. --\$32 per share premium. Hongkong Gas Company-\$80 per share.

Hongkong Hotel Company-\$120 per share, Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—par. sellers. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$190 per share, sellers,

China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures) per cent. premium. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$110 iper share. Hongkong Ice Company-\$165 per share, buyers. Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited

-\$60 per share. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1878-11 per cent, prem. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1881-21 percent. prem.

EXCHANGE On London.—Bank, T. T.3/7 Bank Bills, on demand3/7 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight......3/7# Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/7 Credits, at 4 months' sight......3/8 Documentary Bills, at. 4 months' ... sight3/81 ON PARIS,— Bank Bills, on demand4.55. Credits, at 4 months' sight4.65. ON BOMBAY.—Bank, T.T......224 ON CALCUTTA.—Bank, T.T.....224 ON SHANGHAL-

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Shipping.

AJAX, British steamer, 1,524, Kidd, 21st Dec., Shanghai 17th General.—Butterfield &

NAM-VIAN, French steamer, 435, Garceau, 21st Dec.,-Hoihow 20th December, General.-Shing Loong CHARON WATTANA, Sinmese bark, 565, G. F.

Ulrich, 21st Dec.,-Chefoo 13th December, General.—Chinese. TAMSUI, British steamer, 919, Whittle, 21st Dec.,

Chinking 17th Dec., Rice .- Buttterfield & COPTIC, British steamer, 4,366, W. H. Kidley, 22nd Dec.,-San Francisco 23rd November, and Yokohama 17th December, Mails and General.-O. & O. S. S. Co.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Friederike, German ship, for Iloilo. Oceanic, British steamer, for Yokohama and San'

Catherine Marden, British 3-m. schooner, for

Sumida Maru, Japanese str., for Nagasaki. C. Rodbertus, German bark, for Iloilo. Fokien, British steamer, for Amoy.

DEPARTURES

Three Brothers, British bark, for Swatow.

December 21, Tamsui, British str., for Canton. December 22, Bellerophon, British str., for Amoy and Shanghai. December 22, Wuchang, British steamer, for

Swatow and Amoy. December 22, SUMIDA MARU, Japanese str., for Nagasaki, &c.

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED.

Per Naw-vian, str., from Hoihow.-Mr. J. H. Allcot, and at Chinese. Per Coptic, str., from San Francisco and Yokohama.-Captain and Mrs. Geo. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dennys, Mr. Mosby, Soon Ho, wife, and servant, and 440 Chinese.

Per Sumida Maru, str., for Nagasaki-I-Eu-

TO DEPART. Per Oceanic, str., for Yokohama and San Francisco.—o Chinese. Per Catherine Marden, for Manila -- Europeans and 1 Chinese.

Per Fokien, str., for Amoy:-40 Chinese. Per Three Brothers, for Swatow .-- 70 Chinese.

The British steamship Coptic reports left San Francisco at 3 p.m. on the 23rd November. Had strong Westerly gales across the Pacific; arriving at Yokohama at midnight on the 14th inst. Left Yokohama on the 17th, at 6 a.m. Experienced Westerly winds on the Japan coast, and moderate monsoon down the China Sea. Arrived in Hongkong at 11.30 a.m. on the 22nd. Passed a French mail steamer off Ockseu at 11 a.m. on the 21st.

SINGAPORE SHIPPING. December— ARRIVALS.

4. Hungarian, British str., from Hongkong. 4. Flintshire, British steamer, from Cardiff. 4. Arcturus, German ship, from Cardiff. 4. George, German bark, from Liverpool. '4. Grace Deering, Amer. bk., from Newcastle. 4, Georg Blohm, Ger. bark, from Hamburg. 4. Marchino, Italian bark, from New York.

5, Chow Phya, British steamer, from Batavia. 5. Ban V. Seng, British str., from Bangkok. 5. Martaban, British steamer, from Bangkok. Celestial, British steamer, from Cootie. Chanda, British steamer, from Calcutta. 5. Ganymede, British steamer, from Deli. Egeron, Dutch steamer, from Batavia. 6, Ban W. Soon, British str., from Cockburn. 6, May Flower, British str., from Malacca. 6, Mercury, British steamer, from Batavia.

6, Coniston, British steamer, from Calcutta. December DEPARTURES. Billiton, British steamer, for Penang. 5. Pakan, British steamer, for Malacca. Ganymede, British steamer, for Deli. Bowen, British steamer, for Port Darwin. Leon III., Spanish steamer, for Liverpool. McAlister, British steamer, for Bangkok. Patocah, Dutch steamer, for Dell.

Martaban, British steamer, for Bangkok. 6, Coniston, British steamer, for Hongkong.

6, Achilles, British steamer, for Hongkong. VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS IN JAPAN, CHINA, AND MANILA.

Bertha Hongkong Nov. Oleander.....Nov. Glenfruin (s.)ShanghaiNov. PonchaNov. Merionethshire (s.).....YokohamaNov. 8

VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG. (Corrected to Date).

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MAILS EXPECTED

THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. & O. Co.'s steamer Rome, with the next English mail, left Singapore on Sunday the 17th instant, at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 23rd.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The steamers Moray and Arratoon Apcari with the next Indian mail, left Calcutta on the 17th instant, and may be expected here on the 1st January.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Union Line steamer Strathleven left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of the 20th instant, and may be expected to arrive here:

pore for this port on the 21st instant, and may be expected to arrive here on the 20th. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Stentor left Singapore on the 22nd instant, and may be expected here on or about the roth.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

ALWINE, German steamer, 400, F. Thiesen, 16th Dec. - Saigon' 7th December, General -

ANTON, German steamer, 395, Schrader, 19th Dec. -- Manila 16th December, General. --Wieler & Co.

Appin, British steamer, 394, J. L. Howden, 6th Dec.,—Canton 5th December, General.— Jardine, Matheson & Co., BAUMWALL, German str., 1,261, J. C. Benohr,

4th Dec., -Saigon 27th Nov., Rice. -Siemssen & Co. CHINA, German steamer, 649, H. Schoer, 21st December,-Swatow 20th December, General.-Yuen Fat Hong.

CONISTOA, British steamer, 2,258, F. R. Evans, 16th Dec.,-Calcutta 26th Nov., Penang 4th December, and Singapore 8th, General -Jardine, Matheson & Co. CRUSADER, British steamer, 647, T. Rowin, 13th November, -- Saigon 7th November, Rice. --

Chong Wo Cheang. FAME, British steamer, 117, Stopani, (tug plying) Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co. FELICIA, German steamer, 864, T. E. Runge, 15th

Dec.,-Canton 14th Dec., General,-Siems-FORIEN, British steamer, 509, Abbott, 21st Dec. -Kudat 11th December, and Sandakan 15th, Timber. - D. Lapraik & Co. FOOKSANG, British steamer, 990, Davis, 20th Dec.,—Shanghai 17th Dec., General.—Jar-

dine, Matheson & Co. GEELONG, British steamer, 1,835, W. Webber, 19th Dec.,-Bombay 25th Nov., and Singapore 9th Dec., General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. GLENELO, British steamer, 894, Speechly, 12th Dec.,-Saigon 27th November, Rice.-Gilman & Co.

Hongkond, British steamer, 67, April 14th,-Kwok Acheong & Sons. NONA, German steamer, 669, U. Woelffel, 11th Dec., Bengkok 1st December, Rice, Ed.

Schellhass & Co. OCEANIC, British steamer, 3,808, Metcalfe, 9th | Shun-on, Annamite steamer, 136, W. Blumen--Dec. -San-Francisco-1-1th-Nov., and-Yokohama 3rd Dec., General.—O. & O. S. S. Co. Poo-chi, Chinese steamer, 544, Dunn, 19th Dec., -Canton 18th December, General.-C. M.

SEA GULL, American steamer, 48, Hayden, Nov. 24th, -China Traders' Insurance Co. THALES, British steamer, 820, Harris, 21st Dec., -Swatow 20th December, General.-D. Lapraik & Co. YANGTSZE, British steamer, 784, E. Lee, 16th

Dec., - Canton 15th Dec., General. - Siemssen & Co.—Cosmopolitan Dock. YOTTUNG, British steamer, 286, H. Kennett June 23rd,—Quangai 19th June, General.— Kwok Acheong & Sons.

SAILING YESSELS.

ADVANCE, Siamese bark, 336, P. Dethlefsen, 13th Dec.,-Chesoo 30th Nov., General,-ANDREAS, German bark, 423, F. Hoyer, 27th November,-Newchwang 16th Nov., Beans. -Siemssen & Co.

ANNA BERTHA, German bark, 480, Krause, 27th November,-Newchwang 14th Nov., Beans. -Siemssen & Co. BILLY SIMPSON, British bark, 432, Brown, 9th Dec.,-Cebu 26th Nov., General.-Master.

CARMELITA & IDA, German bark, 438, E. G. Ketel, 1st December,-Whampon 30th Nov., General. Ed. Schellhass & Co. CATHERINE MARDEN, British 3-m. sch., 287, W. Marden, 18th November,-Newchwang 7th November, Beans and General.-Wieler

CENTAUR, German bark, 468, Offerson, 24th November,-Newchwang 12th Nov.; Beans. --- Wieler & Co. CHRISTIAN, German schooner, 250, C. Kossow, 8th November,-Newchwang, 25th October,

Beans.—Carlowitz & Co. C. RODBERTUS, German bark, 566, H. Schultz, 28th Nov.,-Newchwang 19th Nov., Beans. CLARA, German bark, 419, T. Lentig, 30th Nov.,

CONQUEST, American bark, 516, Carins, 20th Nov.,-Newcastle 22nd Sept., Coal.-Ed, Schellhass & Co. Courier, British bark, 320, Bartlett, 8th Nov.,

-Newchwang 19th October, Beans,-Ed. Schellhass & Co. C. F. SARGENT, American ship, 1,704, D. H. Atherton, 21st November,-Cardiff 23rd June, Coals .- Borneo Co. Limited. Dora, German ship, 1,259, H. Meyer, 22nd

November,-Cardiff 1st July, Coal,-Melchers & Co. ELLA S. THAYER, American ship, 1,098, Davis, Friedrich, German schooner, 295 (Petersen)-22nd October,—put back.—Russell & Co. ERIN'S ISLE, British ship, 1,798, J. Fleming, August 20th,-Cardiff 22nd April, Coal,-

Gibb, Livingston & Co. ERL KONIO, German bark, 456, A. Naurch, 27th Siemssen & Co. brand, 13th Dec.,-Chefoo oth Dec., Gene-

ral.-Wieler & Co. FERDINAND, German bark, 416, Westergaard, 21st November,-Newchwang 10th Nov., Beans .- Wieler & Co. FRIEDERIKE, German ship, 1,398, F. Wiericks,

6th November, - Cardiff 29th June, Coals. -Melchers & Co. GIULEETTE, Italian bark, 435, G. Goygolg, 9th Dec.,—Singapore 31st November, Timber,—Order.

HALLGERDA, British ship, 1,087, Meikle, 5th Dec., -Kobe 26th November, Ballast,-Captain, HELENS, British bark, 433, J. lakster, 28th Nov., -Newchwang 19th Nov., Beans .- Melchers & Co.

HERBERT BLACK, American bark, 375, Treat. 13th Dec.,-Nagasaki 5th Dec., Coal.-Captain. HERMANN, German bark, 453, W. Pens, 10th

Dec.,-Chefoo 28th Nov., General.-Wieler Antwerp, British bark, 1,091 (Smith)-Frazar HIERONYMUS, German bark, 425, M. Ipland, Channel Queen, British bark, (Lacheur)—Chap- all the newest patterns. Letters, per to or the contract of the contract 19th November,—Newchwang 9th

Beans.—Wieler & Co. JACOBINE, German bark, 417, C. H. Christiansen, 10th Dec.,-Iloilo 25th Nov., Wood,-Ed. Schellhass & Co.

JENNIE HARKNESS, American bark, 1,373, Amsbury, 27th October,-Newcastle, N.S.W. 5th September, Coals,—Adamson, Bell &.

UNO, German bark, 517, H. C. Breckwoldt. 29th Nov.,-Hamburg 22nd July, General. -Melchers & Co. KRISTINA NILSSON, American brig, 279, T. E Thomson, 1st Dec. Newchwang, and Amoy 29th, Beans.—Russell & Co.

M. A. Dixon, British bark, 415, F. Cooke, 30th Nov. - Newchwang 12th Nov., Beans -- Ed. Schellhass & Co. JARINA, Brit. bark, 664, Langlois, October 13th, -London 29th April, General.-Adamson,

-The-Glen-Line steamer Clarer thy left Sings- METROR, German bark, 104, L. Hortsmann, 24th October,-New York 17th May Kerosine Oil-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. MINERVA, German brig/319, P. Dulime, 10th Dec. Whampon oth December, General.

HONGKONG-SALLING VESSELS.

(Continued.) MINNA DEUTSCHMANN, German 3-m. schooner, 164, H. Spierling, 15th Dec., Chefoo 7th Dec., General - Chinese. MOMMUSEN, German ship, 1,250, A. R. Wielms,

September 29th-Cardiff 11th May, Coals,-Russell & Co. BOYNTON, American bark, 1,065, Wm. E. Nasson, October 11th,-New York 4th May,

Petroleum.-D. Lapraik & Co. NONPAREIL, British bark, 399, E. Finlayson, 9th November,-Newchwang 30th Oct.; Beans, -Chong Woo. PROSPERITY, Siamese bark, 476, D. Michaelsen,

August 21th, Bangkok 11th August, General.-Chinese. RAMIER, French brig, 280, Jarvary, 23rd Nov., Newchwang toth Nov., Beans.-Carlowitz

SAMUEL D. CARLETON, American bark, 884 Geo: A. Freeman, October 9th,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 10th August, Coal.-Order. ST. IDEUC, French bark, 388, F. Durand, 16th November,-Newchwang 7th Nov., Beans.

-Carlowitz & Co. TALEE, German bark, 342, C. Stolie, 29th Nov. -Newchwang 19th Nov., Beans.-Siemssen & Co. THREE BROTHERS, British bark, 366, H. Kahlke,

Swatow 22nd October, General, Ee Tye YOUNG SIAM, Siamese ship, 701, W. Saxtorph, 20th Nov., Bangkok 7th Oct., General.

WHAMPOA.

HAMMONIA, German bark, 408, Weller, 213 November,-Newchwang oth Nov., and Amoy 20th, Behns .- Chinese.

D. Brewer, American bark, 962, W. L. Josselyn, 19th Nov.,-Shanghai 15th November, Rice.—Captain. Louisa, German 3-m. sch., 245, Schierloch, 13th Dec.,-Shanghai 4th Dec.; General.-Ed.

Schellhass & Co. berg, 29th Nov., Touron 11th Nov., Ballast.—Shun Woo Yuen.

CANTON.

AMOY, British steamer, 814, C. Hermann, 20th Dec., -Shanghai - 17th - Dec., -General --Siemssen & Co. * EU-YEW, Chinese steamer, 920, Barfoot, 20th Dec.,-Shanghai 17th Dec., General.-C.

M. S. N. Co. MEI-FOO, Chinese steamer, 1,284, R. P. Petersen, 18th Dec.,-Chinkiang 14th Dec., General. —С. M. S. N. Co.

RIVER STEAMERS.

Hankow, British steamer, 2,235, Ogston.—Butterfield & Swire. Ho-nam, British steamer, 1,377, T. Benning. Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co. Kiang-ping, Chinese steamer, 360, Holmes .-

Kiu-kiang, British steamer, .617, A. Benning.-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. Kiung-chow, British steamer, 159, Goggin .-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co. Powan, British steamer, 1,890, Hoyland-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. Spark, British steamer, 140.-Hongkong, Can-

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Assens, Danish bark, 235 (Vandel)—H. A. Petersen & Co. Chloris, German bark, 334 (Matzen)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Faugh Balaugh, German schooner, 240 (Rute)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Flodden, British bark, 337 (Henderson)-Hoyd Helene, German bark, 263 (J. Rieck)-H. A. Pe-

tersen & Co. H. Bremer, German schooner, 332 (Bremer)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Nov.,-Newchwang 16th Nov., Beans.- Hugo & Otto, Norwegian bark, 457 (M. Koeld)-H. A. Petersen & Co. ERNST, German 3-m. schooner, 356, E. Hilde- John Potts, British bark, 374 (Brown)-Boyd Juno, German bark, 266 (Nielsen)-Pasedag

Kjobenhavn, Danish bark, 353 (Magleby)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Louise, American schooner, 280 (Lawrence)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Magenta, British schooner, 329 (Coalfleet)-

Pasedag & Co. Magic, British schooner, 214 (H. Lass)-Russell Rachel, British bark, 282 (Affleck)-Boyd & Co.

Tartar, German brig, 256 (T. Runge)-H. A. Vivid, British bark, 234 (Peterson)-H. A. Petersen & Co.

SHANGHAI. In Port on 14th December, 1882.

man, King & Co. Chihaya Maru, Japanese bark, 441, (Kawaoks)-M. B. Kaishia, Chingtab, Chinese bark, 472 (Taylor)-C. M. Foochow, Siamese bark, 301, (Guldberg)-Siems-Guiding Star, British bark, 311 (Schnitger) Mackenzie & Co. Hedvig, British bark, 375 (Davey)-Nils Moller. Kolga, British bark, 541 (Kiolseth.)-Russell Lee-yih, British bark, 219 (Cargill)-Morris & Co.

Marie Louise, German bark, 915 (Behring)-Russell & Co. Martha, British bark, (McPearson)-Morris & Presto, British bark, 384 (Laidman)—Morris Siblas, French bark, 329 (Huet)-Melchers

Southern Chief, American ship, 1,283 (Higgins) Star of India, British bark, 1,040 (Parslow) Melcher & Co. Therese, German bark, 390, (Hansen)-Melchers & Co. Sand Harrist Zebina Goudey, British bark, 1,017 (Cook)-

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